IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY
CIVIL APPELLATE JURISDICTION
WRIT PETITION NO.5099 OF 2006

Shri Altaf Maqbool Mujawar .....Petitioner.

V/s

Shri Maula Akbar Maula .....Respondent.

Mr. Umesh Mankapure i/b M/s J. Shekhar & Co. for the Petitioner.

Mr. Pratap Patil for the Respondent.

CORAM: V.M. KANADE, J.
DATE : 8th March, 2007

P.C.:

1. Heard the learned Counsel for the Petitioner and the learned Counsel for the Respondent.

2. Petitioner is challenging the order passed by the Lower Appellate Court dated 30th June, 2006 whereby the Lower Appellate Court was pleased to set aside the interim order of injunction which was granted by the Trial Court. The Lower Appellate Court granted the stay for a period of one month so as to enable the Petitioner to approach the High Court. This Court by order dated 12th September, 2006 was pleased to grant status-quo.

3. In my view, instead of going into the merits of the case,

it would be appropriate if a direction is given to the Trial Court to decide the suit as expeditiously as possible and, in any case within a period of eight months and, in the meantime, since the interim order of injunction has continued till today, the said order of status-quo shall continue, pending the hearing and final disposal of the suit. With these directions, Writ Petition is disposed of.

(V. M. KANADE, J.)